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SUBJECT: BRITISH EXPORT OF COMPUTER EQUIPMENT TO CZECHOSLO-VAKIA - IL 1565

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OBJECT. THIS DRAFTING SYSTEM IS INTERACTIVE AND INCLUDES A GRAPHIC DISPLAY TERMINAL. OUR OBJECTION IS BASED ON THE TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGICAL KNOW-HOW INVOLVED IN THE USE OF COMPUTER AIDED DESIGN SYSTEMS, AND ON THEIR BASIC STRATEGIC APPLICATION. COMPUTER AIDED DESIGN SYSTEMS HAVE A LONG AND CONSISTENT DENIAL HISTORY, AND THIS PARTICULAR TRANSACTION DOES NOT LEND ITSELF TO SPECIAL CONSIDERATION.

THE OTHER CASES IN REF B ARE BEING DELAYED: CONFIDENTIAL

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(77)916 - HAS BEEN SENT BACK TO THE TECHNICIANS FOR ANOTHER REVIEW, AND THEY HAVE BEEN UNAVAILABLE FOR SUBSTANTIVE STATUS REPORTS.

(78) 338 - THERE IS A DIFFERENCE OF OPINION OVER THE USE OF FIBER IPTICS IN THIS TRANSACTION, AND IT HAS ALSO BEEN SENT BACK FOR REVIEW. WE HOPE TO HAVE POSITIONS ON THESE TWO CASES VERY SOON.

(78) 65 - THIS CASE IS DEEPLY ENTRENCHED IN THE U.S. LIST REVIEW PROPOSAL FOR IL - L522. THE BRITISH ARE AWARE OF THE DIFFICULTIES WE ARE HAVING RESOLVING IT, BUT WILL TRY TO HAVE FINAL POSITION BY THE 23 OF AUGUST. VANCE

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